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Reports of States and yearly and monthly reports of cities.

CALIFORNIA—*San Francisco*.—Month of December, 1897. Estimated population, 360,000. Total deaths, 568, including phthisis pulmonalis, 84; enteric fever, 4; diphtheria, 7; croup, 2, and whooping cough, 1.

CONNECTICUT—*New Haven*.—Month of November, 1897. Estimated population, 110,000. Total deaths, 130, including phthisis pulmonalis, 20; enteric fever, 3, and diphtheria and croup, 7.

Month of December, 1897. Total deaths, 156, including phthisis pulmonalis, 16; enteric fever, 3; scarlet fever, 2; diphtheria and croup, 3; measles, 1, and whooping cough, 4.

LOUISIANA—*Baton Rouge*.—Month of September, 1897. Estimated population, white, 5,000; colored, 7,000; total, 12,000. Deaths, white, 4; colored, 10; total 14, including 2 from phthisis pulmonalis.

New Orleans.—Month of September, 1897. Estimated population, white, 184,500; colored, 69,500; total, 254,000. Deaths, white, 293; colored, 169; total, 462, including yellow fever, 28; phthisis pulmonalis, 82; enteric fever, 10; diphtheria, 2, and croup, 1.

Shreveport.—Month of September, 1897. Estimated population, white, 7,500; colored, 7,500; total, 15,000. Deaths, white, 6; colored, 26; total, 32, including phthisis pulmonalis, 3, and croup, 1.

MICHIGAN.—Week ended January 22, 1898. Reports to the State board of health, Lansing, from 51 observers indicate that there was no marked increase or decrease in the prevalence of any of the diseases reported. Phthisis pulmonalis was reported present during the week at 100, measles at 41, diphtheria at 37, enteric fever at 31, scarlet fever at 30, and whooping cough at 19 places.

NEW JERSEY.—*Paterson*.—Month of September, 1897. Estimated population, 108,268. Total deaths, 132, including phthisis pulmonalis, 14; enteric fever, 7; scarlet fever, 1, and diphtheria, 3.

Month of October, 1897. Total deaths, 166, including phthisis pulmonalis, 19; enteric fever, 3, and diphtheria, 9.

Month of November, 1897. Total deaths, 123, including phthisis pulmonalis, 17; enteric fever, 3, and diphtheria, 12.

Month of December, 1897. Total deaths, 158, including phthisis pulmonalis, 20; enteric fever, 9, and diphtheria, 5.

VIRGINIA—*Petersburg*.—Month ended January 26, 1898. Estimated population, white, 12,000; colored, 13,000; total, 25,000. Deaths, white, 15, colored, 31; total, 46, including phthisis pulmonalis, 6, and croup, 1.